Mackinac Bridge March Traffic Report

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Robert J. Sweeney, Executive Secretary of the Mackinac Bridge Authority, reported today that 245,833 vehicles crossed the Mackinac Bridge during the month of March. This represents a 2.4 percent increase when compared to the 240,155 crossings during March 2004.

Traffic for 2005 is 1.1 percent ahead of last year's pace; 692,664 vehicles versus 685,294 in 2004.

				Fare	Fare	
	Traffic	Traffic	%	Revenues	Revenues	%
	<u>2005</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>Inc.</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>Change</u>
January	215,236	212,333	1.4	\$849,585	\$830,055	2.4
February	231,595	232,806	-0.5	\$894,540	\$890,450	0.5
March	245,833	240,155	2.4	\$945,706	\$935,326	1.1